

# Free Incline Reservation (FIR) System Update

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## Winter Operations

Reservation sessions available  
from 6 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

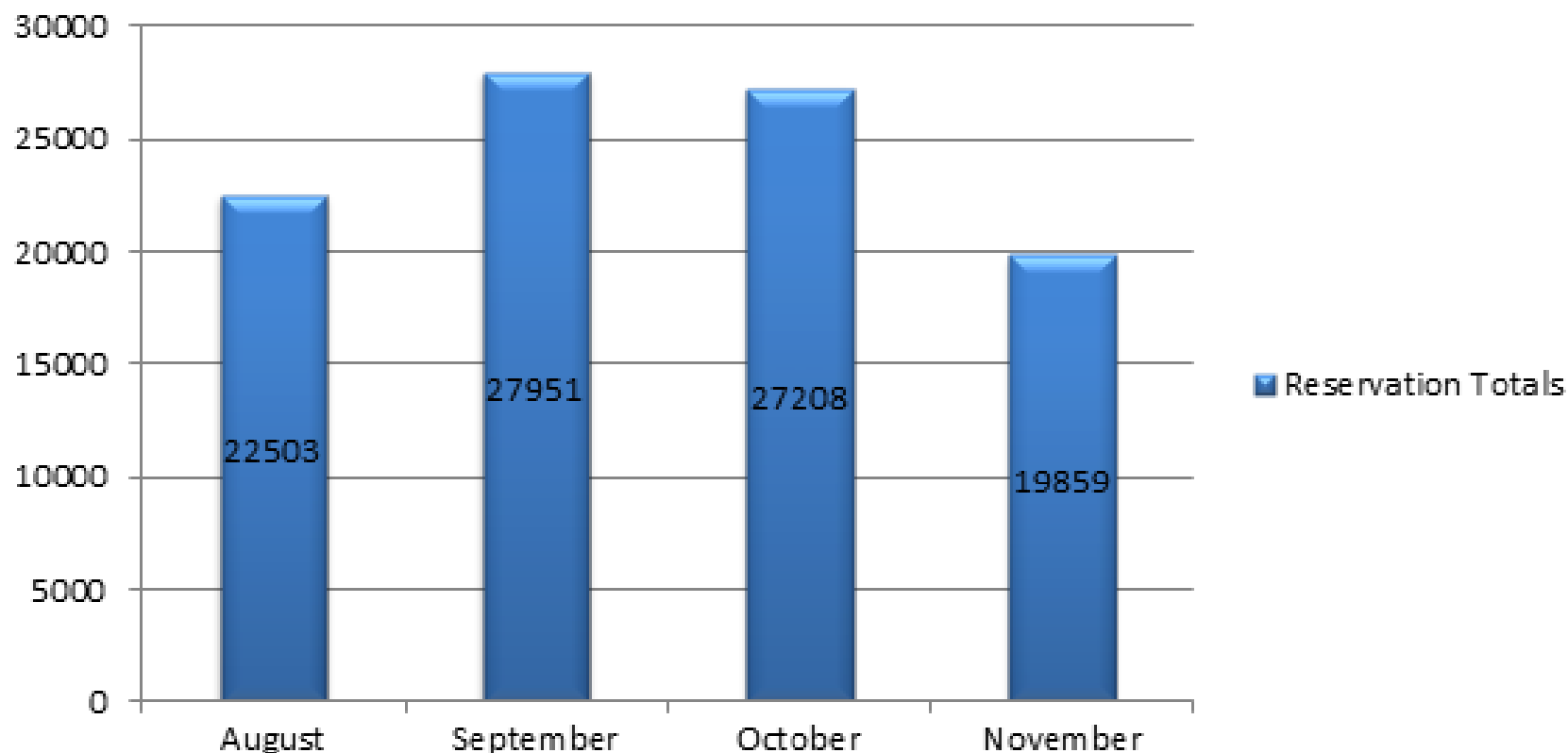
Incline Attendants on-site from  
5:30 a.m. – 3 p.m., unless  
inclement weather present.





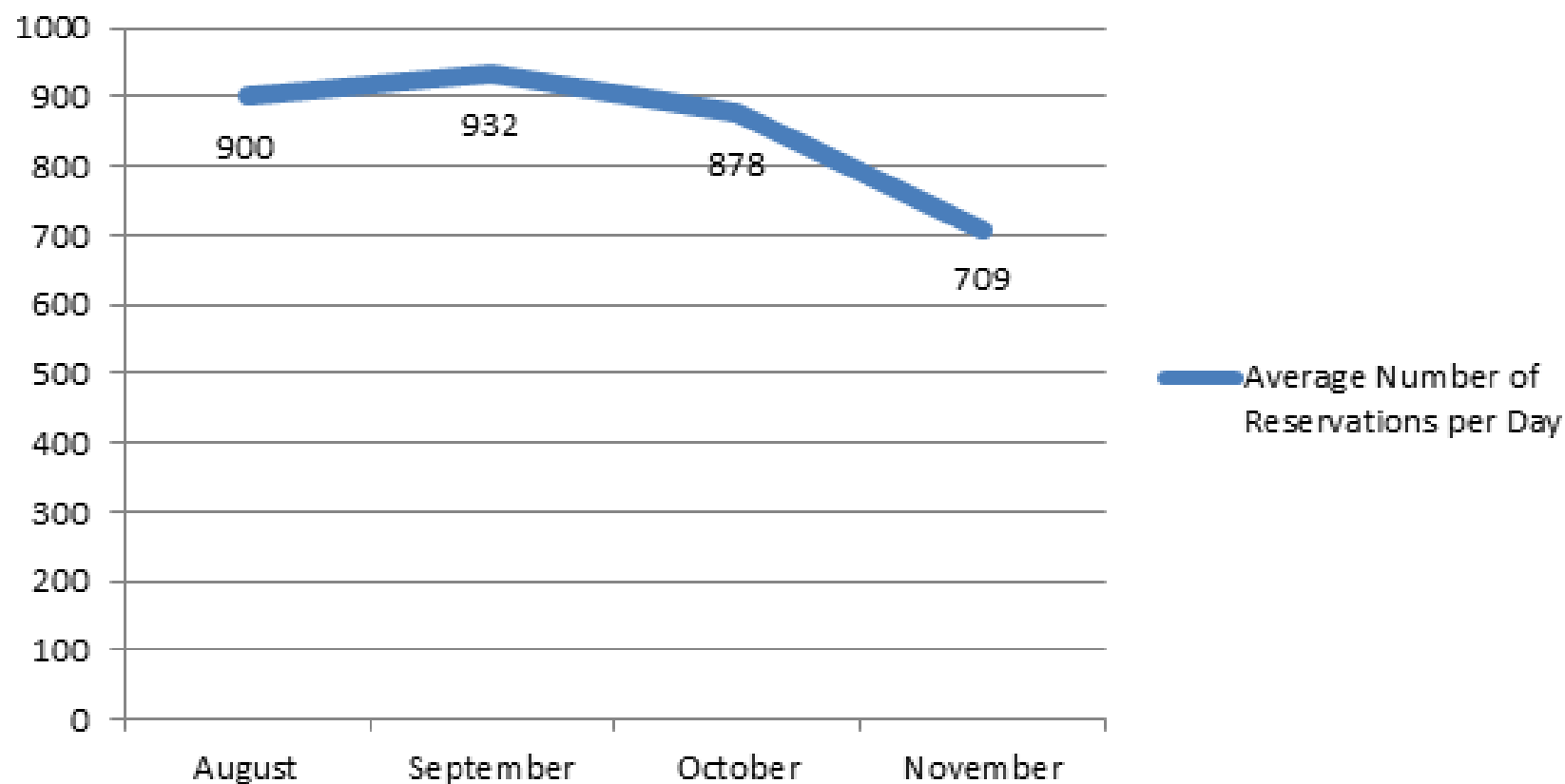


## Reservation Totals



As of November 28<sup>th</sup>, more than 97,500 reservations have been made!

## Average Number of Reservations

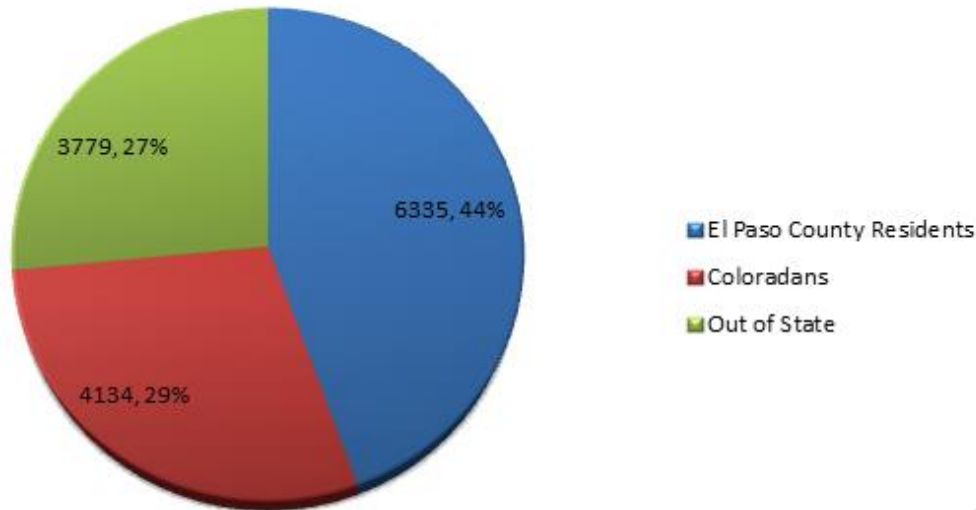


Maximum number of reservations/day = 1,080

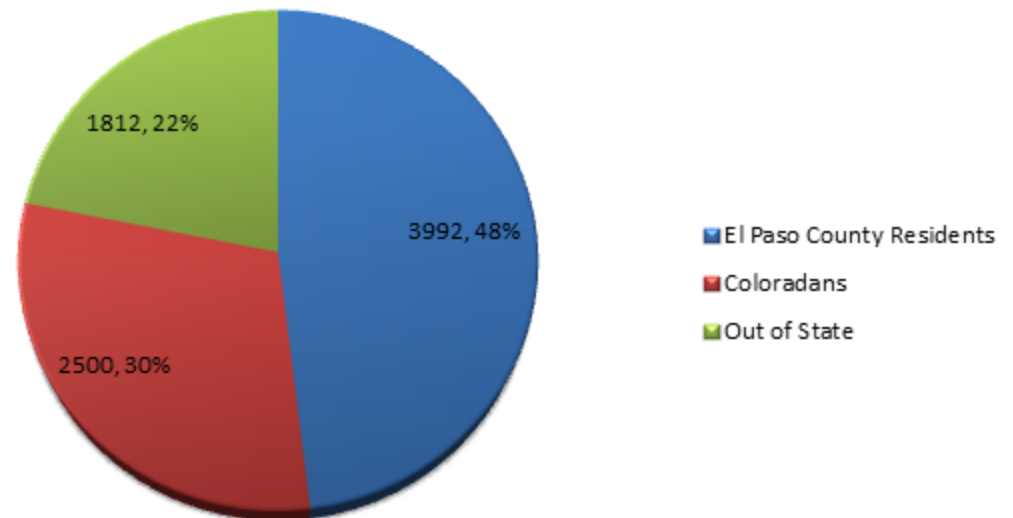
# Zip Code Data



## August



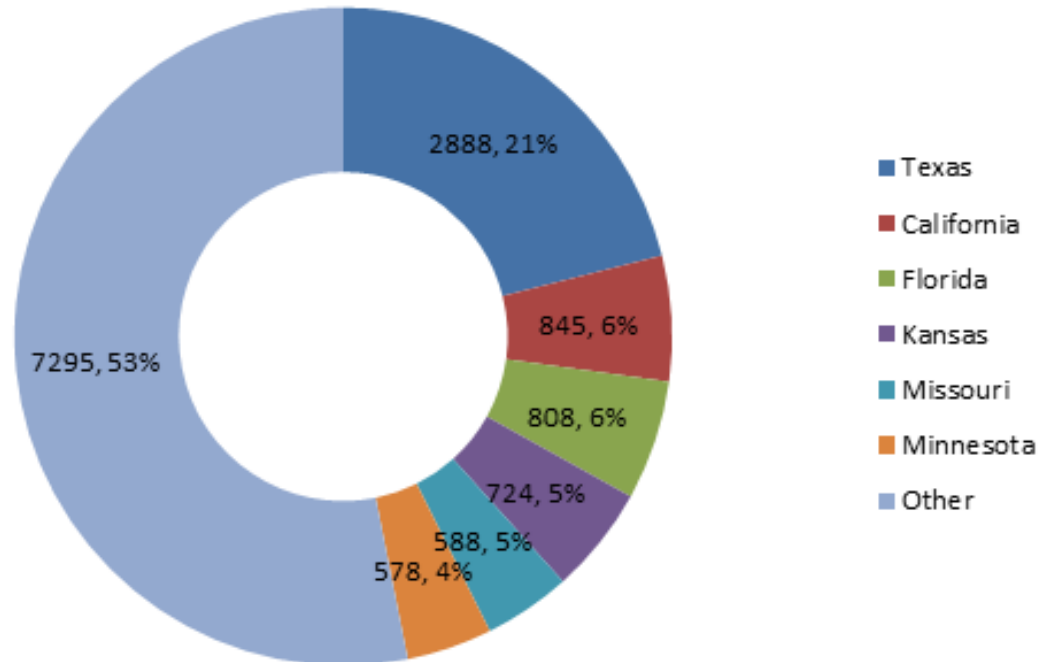
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## Out of State Visitors



- A resident from **every state in the country** has visited the Incline since August (as well as several residents of US territories such as Guam, Puerto Rico, and the US Virgin Islands).
- International visitors came from Mexico, France, Germany, Italy, Lithuania, South Africa, Finland and Brazil.



# “Incline Fire” Response



- Fire near Barr Trail and Manitou Incline started on Thursday, October 8<sup>th</sup>.
- TOPS Park Rangers and Incline Attendants assisted by shutting down the area and getting hikers off the Incline.
- Incline, Northern Return Trail, and Barr Trail **Closed** October 9<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup>, reopened on the 12<sup>th</sup>.





# Northern Return Trail



- Incline hikers now have the option to head down from Step 1300.
- An eco-counter will be installed this month to track usage.
- Hikers accessing the Incline from this trail must have a reservation.





# Barr Parking Lot



- Revenue goes towards Barr Trail maintenance provided by RMFI and operation of the free shuttle bus.
- RMFI worked at the Barr Trail for 15 days this season.
- Over the past 5 years, RMFI has worked on the lower few miles below the Incline Connector and the connector itself completing plenty of in-trail timber and rock structures, off trail erosion control and restoration, fencing, along with lots of routine drain maintenance.





# No Place Like the Incline





# Thank You!

